IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

4 RAYMOND T. CRUZ,

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No. C 08-01788 CW (PR)

Plaintiff,

ORDER GRANTING IN FORMA PAUPERIS STATUS

v.

DR. KASAWA, et al.,

Defendants.

Plaintiff's application for <u>in forma pauperis</u> status is GRANTED. The total filing fee due is \$350.00. The initial partial filing fee due for Plaintiff at this time is \$3.00. A copy of this Order and the attached instruction sheet will be sent to Plaintiff, the Prison Account Trust Office and the Court's Financial Office.

The Court will review Plaintiff's complaint in a separate written order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: 4/30/08

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CLAUDIA WILKEN
United States District Judge

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAYMENT OF PRISONER'S FILING FEE

The prisoner shown as the plaintiff or petitioner on the attached order has filed a civil action <u>in forma pauperis</u> in this court and owes to the court a filing fee. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, the fee is to be paid as follows:

The initial partial filing fee listed on the attached order should be deducted by the prison trust account office from the prisoner's trust account and forwarded to the clerk of the court as the first installment payment on the filing fee. This amount is twenty percent of the greater of (a) the average monthly deposits to the prisoner's account for the 6-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint/petition or (b) the average monthly balance in the prisoner's account for the 6-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint/petition.

Thereafter, on a monthly basis, 20 percent of the preceding month's income credited to the prisoner's trust account should be deducted and forwarded to the court each time the amount in the account exceeds ten dollars (\$10.00). The prison trust account office should continue to do this until the filing fee has been paid in full.

If the prisoner does not have sufficient funds in his/her account to pay the initial partial filing fee, the prison trust account office should forward the available funds, and carry the balance forward each month until the amount is fully paid.

If the prisoner has filed more than one complaint, (s)he is required to pay a filing fee for each case. The trust account office should make the monthly calculations and payments for each case in which it receives an order granting in forma pauperis and these instructions.

The prisoner's name and case number must be noted on each remittance. The initial partial filing fee is due within thirty days of the date of the attached order. Checks should be made payable to Clerk, U.S. District Court and sent to Prisoner Accounts Receivable, U.S. District Court, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, Box 36060, San Francisco, CA 94102.

cc: Plaintiff/Petitioner Finance Office

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 1 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 2 3 RAYMOND T. CRUZ, 4 Case Number: CV08-01788 CW Plaintiff, 5 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** v. 6 KASAWA et al, 7 Defendant. 8 9 I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California. 10 That on April 30, 2008, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said 11 copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle 12 located in the Clerk's office. 13 14 Raymond T. Cruz H-42586 15 A3-126L Salinas Valley State Prison 16 P.O. Box 1050 Soledad, CA 93960 17 Prison Account Trust Office 18 Salinas Valley State Prison P.O. Box 1050 19 Soledad, CA 93960 20 Financial Office U.S. District Court 21 450 Golden Gate Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102 22 23 Dated: April 30, 2008 Richard W. Wieking, Clerk 24 By: Sheilah Cahill, Deputy Clerk 25

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